

Ryan's Clever Pitching Gives McGrawmen Timely Victory

New York Moundsman Twirls Cool and Gritty Game and Is Aided by Vigorous Hitting of Young and Kelly; Eddie Roush Back in Cincinnati Uniform

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CINCINNATI, July 23.—The Giants can show some of their slickest work when hard pressed. Rivals get them into a corner sometimes, but the hard part is to keep them there. They won to-day, 4 to 1, from the Reds, and the vigorous, co-operative hitting of Young and Kelly and the gritty, cool and clever pitching of Billy Ryan contributed most forcibly to the timely victory that carried them back into first place.

The team was on its toes, determined, vigilant, and with no time for such fussy kicking as it indulged in yesterday. Nothing showy to the champions' work, but thoroughly workmanlike every department was well taken care of, and the spirit with which the men set about to win the league championship was encouraging. Ryan, after being hit freely in the first inning, was invincible.

AMERICAN LEAGUE	
Player and Club.	G. AB. R. H. E.
Slater, St. Louis	91 325 82 154 38
Cobb, Detroit	80 215 63 127 38
Speaker, Cleveland	81 308 85 127 38
Mann, New York	81 242 37 96 38
Hellmann, Detroit	87 249 66 130 38

only for a reputed rate of \$10,000. This if true was a comedown from his own final demand of \$150,000 or more. But the crowd that Roush was hustled into a spotless uniform and in the seventh inning, the stage all set, the colored light working and a crash of music and a cheer from the crowd, he stepped to the coaching line. The crowd sized up the situation immediately and Roush got a tremendous ovation. It halted the game and swept the stands. One of the prodigal was George Burns, and the contrast between the battle-stained uniform of Burns, soiled in faithful service, and the sparkling uniform of Roush, who had been drinking

havana when Luque gathered Sunday's hot shot for a belter's choice.

Harper Left Stranded

Harper hit a wall-pier to right in the fourth and the discomfite fan reached over the bleacher and patted the ball in. Harper was sent to second base. He would have made third easily but for the overzealous umpire who stepped on the porch. As it was, he was held at second and two batsmen perished feebly. Ryan did not pitching in this crisis. Bohne added to Kelly's Margrave out on called foul. Kelly popped a cloud with a high foul to Frisbie.

It was a good thing the crowd

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Briefs

Manager McGraw, ill in bed with a cold, has not seen his men play for two days. He was not pleased when he learned that the Yankees had won yesterday in this volume. "I wish I have a legitimate kick to make up and make it," he said, "but this thing of kicking on every ball pitched is a joke."

fourth inning with business-like celerity. They had the feel of Luque's pitching and raked the Cubanola's delivery with washish spleen. They showed some speed too. Muesel singled to Burns and Young stretched a drive to the same spot into a double. Kelly's single scoring both. Kelly was on and on Muesel's. Muesel's long hoist, but they ran him down between

Clubs in Final March Trip by 4 to 1

Driver had one slippery round to-day in the series from Brooklyn, 4 to 1. It was the sixteen games played for the Robins in the Brooklyn entry only five scattered

Rough boosters are making it pleasant for George Burns just now. "You're the best player McGraw's got and the best pitcher," said one of the "How much you gonna get out of the world's series?" are some of the big-hearted shots fired at George by these knightly fans.

The attendance to-day was big, but not up to expectations. The bleachers were not filled. The official figures were 22,655.

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Brooklyn. 100 000 000-1
Two-Bass hits-Hollocher, Home run
Grimes Stolen base-Barker, Sacrifice
Grimes, Terry, Krug. Double plays-Olsen,
Ward and Mitchell. Terry, Hollocher and
Grimes. Left on bases-Brosday, Grimes,
Krug. 8 Bases on balls-OT Adair, 3;
OT Shriver, 2; OT Struck out-By: Grimes,
3; by Mannus, 1. Hits-OT Shriver, 8 in
3 innings. OT Mannus, 1 in 1. Wild pitch
-Shriver. Passed ball-De Berry 1. Error
pitcher-Shriver. Umpires-Sentell and
Hunt. Time-1:31.

This is a sheep

Divers to Compete at Garden

Thursday night at Madison Square Garden a junior diver for men will be conducted by the Metropolitan Association. This event has attracted the entries of the best divers in the district. This is the feature event of a program of four events scheduled. The other events are a seventy-three-yard handicap novice race and a 400-meter scratch race for women. There is also a 300-meter handicap event on the same program for men.

Major Leagues

National League
YESTERDAY'S RESULTS

New York, 4; Cincinnati, 1.
Chicago, 4; Brooklyn, 1.
Boston, 4; St. Louis, 1.
Other teams not scheduled.

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GAMES TO-DAY
New York at Pittsburgh (two).
Other teams not scheduled.

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